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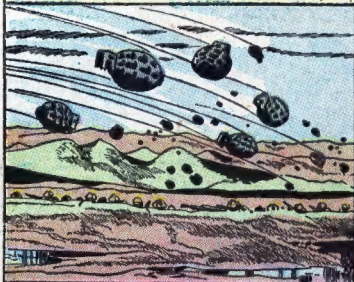
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FIRST THE ARTILLERY LAYS DOWN A PULVERIZING BARRAGE...THEN THE JETS RAKE THE TERRAIN WITH .50 CALIBERS, AND ROCKETS AND FIRE-BOMBS...AND THEN THE HAMMERED REAL ESTATE HAS TO BE TAKEN FROM THE ENEMY...AND THAT'S A JOB FOR...

THE MAN WITH A GUN



BUT THEY WAITED TOO LONG...AND A SHOWER OF G.I. GRENADES CLOBBERED DOWN ON THEM!



THE COMMIE TRENCHES BOILED WITH FLAME, DIRT AND MEN AS THE STEEL EGGS HATCHED!



SLAM INTO 'EM WITH YOUR RIFLES NOW! HIT 'EM... HIT 'EM! HIT 'EM!



THE MAN WITH THE GUN WENT TO WORK... HUNDREDS OF GARANDS STUCK OUT BLUE TONGUES OF FIRE AND BURPED LEAD SPITBALLS AT THE REDS...



THE REDS CRUMBLLED AND SAGGED AS THE BULLETS RIPPED INTO QUILTED COTTON, AND THE COMMIE TRENCHES BECAME GRAVES...



THE DOGGIES CLOSED IN WITH BAYONETS...



THEY RAMMED THE REDS WITH RIFLE BUTTS...



THEY MADE USE OF THEIR BARE HANDS AND FISTS...



TO A DOGGIE, EVERY MINUTE IN BATTLE IS A THOUSAND YEARS...AND IT WAS SIXTY THOUSAND YEARS LATER THAT SARGE STONE YELLED...

OKAY, DOGGIES... THESE TRENCHES ARE YOUR NEW APARTMENTS! SO CLEAN 'EM OUT! GET RID OF THOSE RICEBAGS... THEY'RE LOUSY WITH LICE!



AND AFTER THE CLEANING AND THE DELOUSING, THE MEN WITH THE GUNS RELAXED ON THE GROUND FLOOR OF THEIR FOXHOLES...

HEY, JUNIOR! YA GOT THE ONLY READING MATTER IN THE OUTFIT... SO, HOW ABOUT READIN' ALOUD TO US?

OKAY! AHEM... THIS IS STATION J-U-N-I-O-R COMING TO YOU FROM A SWANKY FOXHOLE SITUATED IN THE BELLY OF KOREA! AND HERE'S THE FIRST NEWS FLASH...



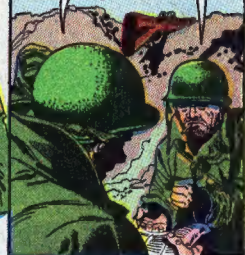
ATOMIC ARTILLERY, GUIDED MISSILES, AND OTHER SECRET WEAPONS TESTED IN NEVADA WILL MAKE THE INFANTRYMAN AS OBSOLETE AS THE HORSE CAVALRY!

HEY, HOW ABOUT THAT, GUYS? WHEN THESE ATOMIC CANNONS AND FLYING BOMBS GET HERE, WE CAN ALL GO HOME... **NO MORE INFANTRY!**

IF YOU BELIEVE THAT HOT AIR, JUNIOR, YOU'RE A BIGGER MESS-KIT HEAD THAN THE JERK WHO WROTE IT!

AW, SARGE, DON'T GO GIVIN' US THAT "THERE'LL ALWAYS BE AN INFANTRY" ROUTINE! YOU CAN'T FIGHT PROGRESS!

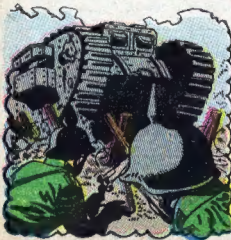
AN' YA **CAN'T** FIGHT A WAR WITH-OUT THE MAN WITH A GUN... **THE INFANTRY!**



"IN WORLD WAR I, WHEN THE BRITISH USED THEIR BIG SECRET WEAPON... THE TANK... SOME ARM-CHAIR GENERAL ALSO WROTE AN OBIT FOR THE INFANTRY..."

"AND IN WORLD WAR II, WHEN HITLER STARTED USING V-I BOMBS, SOME PENCIL-PUSHER STARTED BURYING THE INFANTRY AGAIN..."

"NOW, DURING **THIS** WAR, THE ARMY ANNOUNCES AN ATOMIC CANNON... AN' SOME MONKEY'S RELATIVE STARTS THE FUNERAL MARCH FOR US DOGGIES AGAIN..."





AFTER THE ARTILLERY AND AERIAL BARRAGE, THE DOGGIES CLIMBED OUT OF THEIR HOLES AND ADVANCED AGAIN...



AND THEY FOUGHT AGAIN...



AND THEY OCCUPIED THE GROUND THEY WON AGAIN...

HEY, JUNIOR! ARE THOSE ATOMIC CANNONS GONNA DO WHAT WE JUST DONE?

SAVE YOUR BREATH, SARGE. JUNIOR AIN'T HERE!

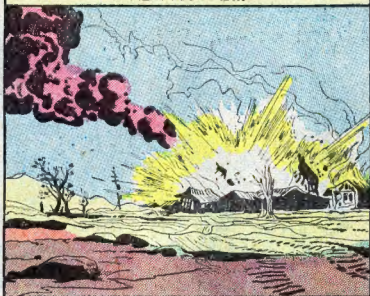


THE REDS NABBED HIM AND SOME OF THE OTHER GUYS! THEY'VE GOT 'EM IN THAT SMALL VILLAGE THEY RETREATED TO!

CA-RIPES! AN' I JUST HEARD THE MAJOR ORDER AN ARTY BARRAGE ON THE JOINT!



THE G.I. ARTILLERY OPENED UP AND SHELLS SCREAMED INTO THE COMMIE HIDEOUT AND BLOSSOMED FIERY FLOWERS...



BUILDINGS BECAME RUBBLE...



MACHINES BECAME JUNK...



MEN BECAME CORPSES...



THEN THE BARRAGE STOPPED AND THE INFANTRY MOVED IN TO FINISH THE JOB... TO TAKE THE TERRAIN... AND TO HOLD IT...



WATCH IT, SARGE! I'M GONNA FLUSH THIS HUT WITH A GRENADE!



WAIT! THE DOGGIES THE REDS TOOK AS PRISONERS MIGHT BE IN THERE! COVER ME... I'M GOING IN!

AND INSIDE THE BUILDING, REDS WAITED TO GREET THE SARGE...



STAY BACK, SARGE! OR YA'LL GET PLUGGED BY A GOONIE AMBUSH!



YOU PIG! NOW YOU GET BULLETS INTENDED FOR THE SERGEANT!



AND YA'LL GET LEAD INTENDED FOR SKUNKS!



YA GUYS OKAY, JUNIOR?

YEAH... THANKS TO YOU, SARGE... THE MAN WITH THE GUN!



THE DOGGIES TOOK THAT TOWN AND THEN PUSHED ON... TO DO A JOB NO MACHINE... NO SECRET WEAPON WILL EVER DO!



THE END



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THE ALLIED HIGH COMMAND HAD DECIDED...AND TO THREE DARING ENGLISHMEN FELL THE TASK OF DISRUPTING THE ENEMY IN NAZI-OCCUPIED YUGOSLAVIA! THESE WERE THE PLAYERS IN A DRAMA OF LIFE OR DEATH...DEFEAT OR VICTORY! THESE WERE THE MEN WHO HAD TO PAVE THE WAY FOR THE STRIKE THAT WAS TO COME!

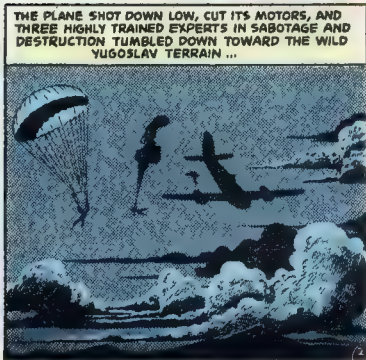
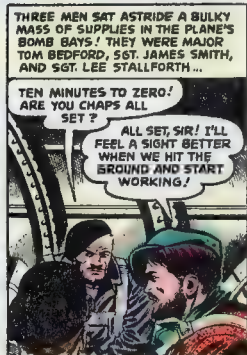
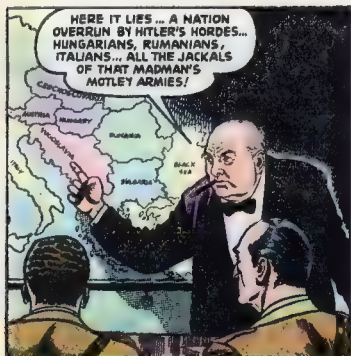


THE WALLS OF THE BUILDING AT 10 DOWNING STREET GLISTENED IN THE CHILL FOG WHICH CLUNG TENACIOUSLY TO EVERYTHING ...



IT WAS 1942, A YEAR OF TENSE DECISION, AND WITHIN THESE CLOISTERED WALLS MATTERS OF GRAVE IMPORTANCE WERE BEING DISCUSSED ...





THEIR LUCK HELD, AND MINUTES AFTER THE INITIAL SHOCK OF LANDING, THE THREE MEN WERE CLOSE TOGETHER...

SO FAR, SO GOOD! WE'VE GOT TO LOCATE THE SUPPLIES! SPREAD OUT AND SEARCH THE AREA! WE'LL MEET AT THIS SPOT!



SMITH FOUND THE CLUMSY PILE OF SUPPLIES INTACT AND UNDAMAGED IN A ROCKY CREVICE ...



AND BY DAWN, THE THREE SPECIALISTS IN ARSON, HAVOC, AND MAYHEM WERE HOLED UP IN A CAVE NEAR A MOUNTAIN TOP...

WE'LL CACHE OUR SUPPLIES OVER A WIDE AREA ... DECENTRALIZE OUR RESOURCES! FIRST THING IS TO HAVE OUR MOBILE WIRELESS SET UP AND ESTABLISH CONTACT WITH HEADQUARTERS!



LEE, I'LL ASSIGN **YOU** TO THE ORGANIZATION OF GUERRILLA BANDS, WHILE JIM AND I PICK OUT SOME VITAL SPOTS TO HIT! WE'VE GOT TO LET THE JERRIES KNOW WE'RE OPEN FOR BUSINESS!



A WEEK LATER, TWO SHADOWY FIGURES SCURRIED AWAY FROM A TRESTLE BRIDGE NESTLED IN THE MOUNTAIN CRAGS NEAR CELEVAK...



SHE OUGHT TO BE COMING THROUGH IN TWO MINUTES ... 800 REPLACEMENTS FOR THE NAZI WAR MACHINE!

I WON'T TAKE MY HAND OFF THE GENERATOR! SAY WHEN, TOM!



SMITH'S HAND HOVERED OVER THE GENERATOR BUTTON AS A TRAIN LADEN WITH TROOPS RUMBLLED ONTO THE SPAN ...





SKINNY

MEN ARE OFTEN ASHAMED TO STRIP FOR SPORTS OR FOR A SWIM!

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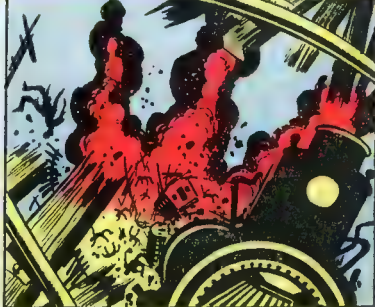
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MEANWHILE, NEAR THE VILLAGE OF LOZOVIK, A HANDFUL OF AROUSED PATRIOTS GOT A LESSON IN REBELLION FROM A MASTER STRATEGIST IN THEIR OWN LANGUAGE ...

THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE FOR COURAGE ... NEITHER GUNS NOR BOMBS! I HAVE SHOWN YOU HOW TO USE THESE WEAPONS! NOW LET THE INVADER TASTE PARTISAN VENGEANCE!



WE'LL START IN A SMALL WAY ... THE GERMAN BARRACKS NEAR THE VILLAGE! OUR ACTION WILL AROUSE OTHERS TO FIGHT WITH US ... SO PUT ON A GOOD PERFORMANCE!



A COMPANY OF NAZI TROOPS STATIONED IN LOZOVIK BECAME THE FIRST VICTIMS OF A RESURGENT MOVEMENT AS THEY STOOD REVEILLE ON THE PARADE GROUNDS ...



RAT-TAT-TAT-TAT
K-POW! BR-RIPPI!



YOU DID WELL, BOYS! HOW DOES IT FEEL TO STRIKE BACK AT THE ENEMY?

FINE! FINE! IT HAS GIVEN US A TASTE FOR **MORE GERMAN BLOOD!**



IN THE WEEKS THAT FOLLOWED, THE ENEMY WAS NEVER AT PEACE... NEVER AT EASE! WHEREVER THEY WERE, THEY WERE STRICKEN BY SUDDEN DEATH...



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ACH, JA...JA! DIE SCHWEINE HAVE BEEN TAMPERING WITH OUR POWER SUPPLY...SHORT CIRCUITS ALL THE TIME! GO RIGHT IN!



SPECIALISTS BOHRNER AND SCHMIDT, ALIAS BEDFORD AND SMITH, DID THEIR JOB WELL ... AND WHEN THEY WERE DONE, NAZI HEADQUARTERS WERE COMPLETELY REWIRED... **FOR DEATH!**

FINISHED, HERR MAJOR! BUT IT WOULD BE WISE NOT TO USE ANY CURRENT UNTIL EVENING! WE STILL HAVE TO CHECK THE POWER LINES!

NOT TILL EVENING? WHAT SORT OF ELECTRICIANS ARE YOU? WE NEED POWER FOR OUR TRANSMITTERS! ACH, WELL...I SUPPOSE THIS IS THE PRICE WE MUST PAY VICTORY!

THAT EVENING, AS A GERMAN CLERK IN HEADQUARTERS SWITCHED ON A LIGHT ...



THAT ONE SWITCH WAS WIRED TO **EVERY** BULB IN HEADQUARTERS... BUT THE BULBS WERE **NOT** LIGHT BULBS! THEY WERE RECEPTACLES OF VOLATILE **TNT!**



AND THUS IT WENT FOR MONTHS, WHILE A HIGHLY TRAINED OCCUPATION ARMY WENT TO PIECES AND BECAME DEMORALIZED! BUT EARLY IN 1943, A MESSAGE CRACKLED THROUGH A MURKY CAVE ...



I'M A BIT SHAKEN, BOYS! LEE AND I HAVE BEEN ORDERED TO PREPARE FOR PICK-UP AND TRANSFER TO NEW DUTY! NO INSTRUCTIONS HAVE COME THROUGH FOR YOU, JIM!

NONE? I GUESS THAT MEANS I WILL HAVE TO SWEAT IT OUT **HERE!**



I'D WIRE BACK FOR INSTRUCTIONS, JIM, BUT WE HAVE TO MAINTAIN RADIO SILENCE! LEE AND I WILL BE PICKED UP IN THAT CLEARING TWO MILES FROM HERE!

I SUPPOSE THE MINISTRY KNOWS WHAT IT'S DOING! I'LL SEE YOU CHAPS OFF!



THERE WAS NO EMOTION ON SGT. JAMES SMITH'S FACE AS HE WATCHED HIS COMPANIONS TAKE OFF IN A LIGHT PLANE! WITH THE STOICISM OF A TRUE SOLDIER, HE KEPT HIS FEELINGS DEEP WITHIN HIMSELF...



SINGLE-HANDED FOR THE MOST PART, SOMETIMES WITH THE AID OF PARTISANS, SGT. SMITH CONTINUED HIS DEVASTATING WORK...



THINGS WERE GETTING HOT! DRIVEN TO DESPERATION BY THE PHANTOM SABOTEUR, THE NAZIS COMBED THE HILLS DAY AND NIGHT IN AN EFFORT TO TRAP HIM! SMITH CHANGED HIDING PLACES EACH NIGHT...

MY TURN AT LAST! THEY'LL PICK ME UP IN TWO HOURS!



HE TURNED AND FOUND HIMSELF FACING THE LIEGE OF A COLD-EYED GERMAN OFFICER...

WE MEET AT LAST! I WANTED TO SEE THE MAN WHO HAD THE COURAGE TO ATTACK US IN OUR OWN BACK YARD! I AM HERE ALONE... AND THERE IS SOMETHING I MUST SAY TO YOU!



I WEAR THE SWASTIKA, BUT BENEATH THIS UNIFORM BEATS THE HEART OF A PRUSSIAN OFFICER! I DESPISE THE UP-START HITLER AND ALL HIS PARTY STANDS FOR!



IF I HADN'T BEEN SUCH A BLIND FOOL, I WOULD HAVE FOUGHT THE NAZIS WHEN THEY MADE THEIR FIRST BID FOR POWER! GO BACK TO THE WEST, AND TELL THEM TO NEVER GIVE UP THE FIGHT! THE NAZIS ARE ROTTEN TO THE CORE, AND WILL BE CRUSHED! THEY CANNOT WIN THE WAR! I SHALL CARRY YOUR MESSAGE BACK WITH ME, COLONEL!



AND AS THE RESCUE PLANE SOARED INTO THE AIR AND HEADED WESTWARD, A SOLITARY MAN RAISED A GUN TO HIS TEMPLE... KNOWING THAT ALL WAS LOST, HE HAD FINALLY FOUND THE COURAGE TO DO THE ONE BOLD ACT OF HIS LIFE...



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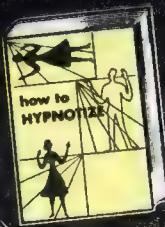
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STORM FLIGHT

WHEN they'd first told Lt. penalize me!"

Steve Franklin what they proposed for him to fly, he almost went through the patched-up roof of the operations shack.

"A transport?" he'd yelled. "Me fly a transport? Me? You can't be serious, sir!"

The erect old colonel had smiled. "And why not? The transport command is as vital as the fighter command here in Korea. Sometimes even more so."

"I don't doubt that, sir. But I'm a jet man from away back. Why jets are my—my—"

"Your food and drink," the other finished for him drily. "I know, you can't live without jets. Well, you almost died in one, Lieutenant."

"But it's been months since that AA burst clipped me!" Steve raged. "I've been out of the hospital for a good long while. The medics told me I'd be back flying jets in no time. Surely the service isn't going to

The colonel walked back to his desk and sat down. "It certainly is not. But you've got to work your way back into the sky gradually, man."

Steve took a little time to chew on that one. "Oh. And I start with transports?"

"That's right. And don't get me wrong, Lieutenant. You'll be doing a very useful job while you're getting back on your flying legs."

The young man nodded dubiously, then came to attention and saluted.

So that's how it came about that Steve Franklin found himself piloting a lumbering old transport plane over the mountains to Paegu.

For a while, he'd had his hands full with her, since it had been quite some time since he'd piloted a ship whose motive power was derived from the propeller alone. He was pretty rusty

on flying in any case, since his months of enforced sojourning on the ground, but when it came to a propeller-driven craft . . .

Then again, the ship was heavily loaded — and it was slightly old. It responded to the controls with a slight sluggishness, which Steve had a lot of trouble getting used to.

For that matter, there were all kinds of things about this trip that felt strange. That he had nothing but an old-fashioned parachute to depend upon in case of disaster, instead of a smoothly operating ejection mechanism, didn't make him feel uncomfortable exactly, but it didn't make him feel at home either. The trip was—odd.

And, of course, there would have to be a storm beginning to boil off the mountains on this, his first trip!

Steve grunted in annoyance and tried to squeeze a little extra speed out of the fat airplane.

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He'd like very much to set down in Paegu, on the other side of the mountains, before this weather got really dirty.

It was just then that he smelled smoke!

"Holy jumping cannon-balls," he said desperately, "that's all I need!"

He started to turn his head to check, just as the enormous transport almost flipped over. The storm had hit!

Steve fought the plane level again. Yes, he observed, this storm was going to be a beauty! And, as his hands flew over the controls, skillfully jockeying himself into as good flying as the blasting wind and driving rain would permit, he remembered the brief glimpse he'd had when he'd looked into the rear of the plane.

Somewhere behind him, he'd registered—even in that swift appraisal—there was a thin but definite spiral of smoke roiling upwards!

Should he jump? This was bad and hilly country, but he wasn't too far from base and could probably walk there all right. After all, he was carrying a cargo of high-octane gasoline that couldn't be transported to

lonely Paegu any other way so easily as by air. With a fire behind him, he might go *blooie!* at any moment.

But *no*, he decided, he wasn't going to parachute away from his first ship and his first mission in months! He was going to pull this baby through or go up in smoke trying!

Though, he admitted, as he fought the bucking craft for control and heard her creak and complain at the storm a long her entire length, it would have been nice if he'd had a co-pilot to take care of the fire while he took care of the wind-ripped plane! Trouble was, on an easy run like this, one man was enough.

And then he was over the mountains and gliding into Paegu Field for a landing.

The first thing he did after coming to a stop was go to work behind him with a fire-extinguisher. And what he saw made him awfully, awfully glad he'd been so determined to bring the ship in.

Because it had been his parachute, lying behind him, that had been on fire!

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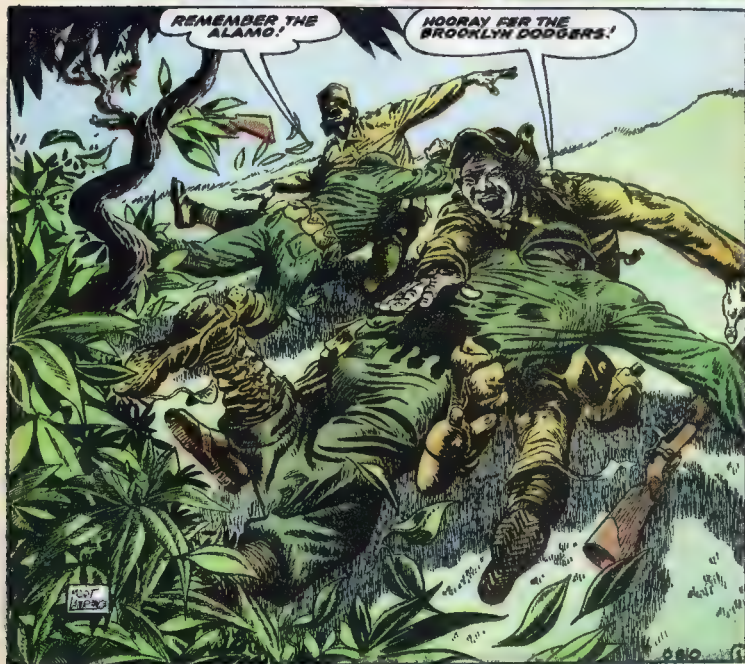
A KOREAN FARMER SREAMS FOR
HELP AS FLAMES EAT AWAY AT
THE RICE-STRAW ROOF OF HIS HUT...



AND HIS FRANTIC YELLS ARE HEARD
BY TWO DOGGIES ON PATROL
IN COMMIE TERRITORY...



AND HERE COME THE ARSON
APES THAT STARTED IT!
LET'S PINCH 'EM FOR
THE JOB!





SARGE SWENSKI'S BLOW STAGGERS THE RED AND THE SARGE MOVES IN FOR THE **TWO** OF A ONE-TWO PUNCH...

THEN I'LL KILL TWO RED BIRDS WITH ONE PUNCH!





THEM TWO'LL NEVER
SET THE WORLD ON
FIRE!

NAW... BUT THAT KOREAN
FARMER'S HUT WILL IF
IT KEEPS BURNIN'! LET'S
GIVE HIM A HAND... HE'S
STILL YELLIN'!



OH-H! 'MELICANS! PLEASE
TO BE SO KIND TO PLEASE
SAVE MY SHIN-CHEE... IN
THERE... IN FIRE!

CA-RIPES!
HIS WIFE OR
KID ARE
TRAPPED IN
THE HUT!



DON'T FRET, POP...
WE'LL GET HER
OUT!



I... I DON'T SEE
ANYBODY IN
HERE...

AH DOES!
LOOK... AN'
AHILL WAGER
MY TIN
SOMBRERO,
THAT'S
SHIN-CHEE!



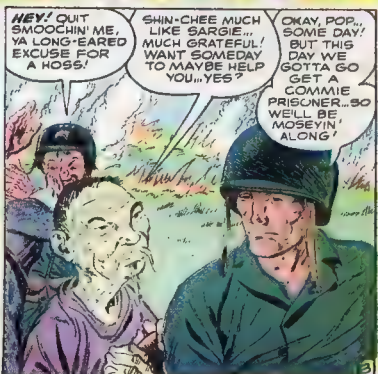
A...DONKEY?

YEAH!
LET'S GET
HER OUT
OF HERE!



OH, 'MELICANS... I
SO HAPPY, I CRY! YOU
HAVE SAVE SHIN-CHEE!

YEAH, POP... BUT
THERE'S NOTHIN' WE
CAN DO TO SAVE
YORE HUT!



HEY! QUIT
SMOOCHIN' ME,
YA LONG-EARED
EXCUSE FOR
A HOSS!

SHIN-CHEE MUCH
LIKE SARGIE...
MUCH GRATEFUL!
WANT SOMEDAY
TO MAYBE HELP
YOU... YES?

OKAY, POP...
SOME DAY!
BUT THIS
DAY WE
GOTTA GO
GET A
COMMIE
PRISONER... SO
WE'LL BE
MOSEYIN'
ALONG!

BATTLE AND THE GARGE HOOF
DEEPER INTO COMMIE LAND BUT
THE SCENERY IS ALWAYS THE
SAME...

THAT DONKEY BACK THERE
SHORE TOOK A LIKING TO YUH,
SARGE...YOU TWO DUGHT TA
GO STEADY!

YA'LL BE GOIN'
STEADY WITH
A PAIR OF
DIMMED GLIMMERS
IF YA DON'T LAY
OFF'A ME!



YA BEEN RIDIN' ME
EVER SINCE WE
LEFT THAT FLAMIN'
FARMHOUSE! NOW
LAY OFF, WILL
YA!

SINCE YUH
ASK ME SO
SWEETLIKE,
SARGE...
AH WONT!



HA-YA!

CHA-WA!



HOLY SMOKE! WE
TALKED AND WALKED
OURSELVES INTO AN
AMBUSH!!

AN' THIS SCUMMIE
WALKED INTO THE BUTT
OF MY RIFLE!



STOP FIGHT, PIGS!
BAYONET IN BACK! MAKE
FUNNY MOVE... WE MAKE
MOVE, TOO, WITH
BAYONET... NOT
SO FUNNY!

NOT SO FUNNY IS
RIGHT! YA GOT
US! YER AMBUSH
HAS GOT US
BUSHED!



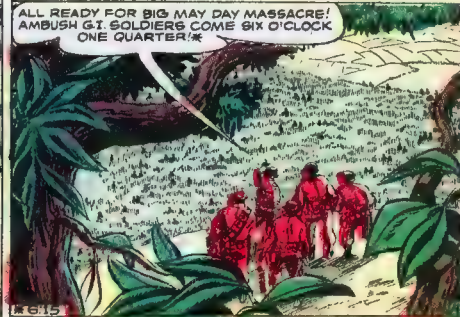
YOU BETCHUM! AN' SOON WE GOTTUM
WHOLE COMPANY STUPID G.I. SOLDIERS
TOO... SAME AMBUSH WAY! LOOK
SEE DOWN THERE...

CA-RAWLIN'
CA-RIPES!

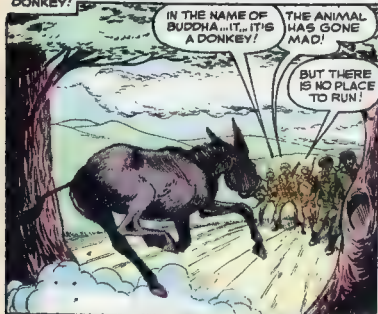


FROM THE HILL THE TWO DOGGIES LOOK DOWN ON A VAST
FIELD OF RICE... AND AMONG THE TALL RICE STALKS THEY
SEE HUNDREDS OF RED TROOPS HIDING...

ALL READY FOR BIG MAY DAY MASSACRE!
AMBUSH G.I. SOLDIERS COME SIX O'CLOCK
ONE QUARTER!



SUDDENLY A LOUD BRAYING INTERRUPTS THE REDS BRAGGING...AND WHEN THE COMMIES TURN, THEY FACE A CHARGING DONKEY!



IN THE NAME OF BUDDHA...IT...IT'S A DONKEY!

THE ANIMAL HAS GONE MAD!

BUT THERE IS NO PLACE TO RUN!

THEN SHOOT IT DOWN! FIRE!

LAY THAT RIFLE DOWN, SCUMMIE...THAT DONKEY'S A GIRL FRIEND OF MINE!

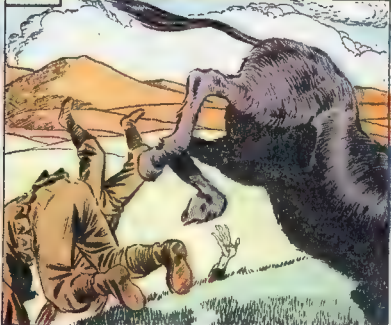


SLAP!

THE DONKEY GALLOPS UP TO THE REDS AND REARS UP, SMASHING THE COMMIES WITH HIS FORELEGS...



AND THEN THE ANIMAL SENDS THE REDS FLYING OFF THE CLIFF...



CA-RIPES! THAT'S A SMART DONKEY YA GOT THERE, POP! SHE SAVED OUR LIVES!

WE FOLLOW.. YOU... WANT HELP SAME YOU HELP SHIN-CHEE AND HUMBLE ME!

YOU AN' SHIN-CHEE HELPED US FINE, POP...BUT NOW WE GOTTA FIND A WAY TO HELP THAT COMPANY OF G.I.'S THAT THOSE SNAKES IN THE RICE GRASS ARE GETTIN' SET TO POUNCE ON!

SHIN-CHEE HELP' PLENTY SMART! DO EVERYTHING EXCEPT TALK!

THEN YOU TALK, POP...AN' LET HIM LISTEN! HERE'S WHAT AH WANT HIM TO DO...

YOU SPEAK ME... I SPEAK SHIN-CHEE...SHIN-CHEE DO!



BATTLE TELLS HIS PLAN
TO THE FARMER...



AND THE FARMER TELLS
IT TO THE DONKEY...



THEN THEY GO DOWN INTO
THE VALLEY AND GATHER
RICE STALKS... AND TIE
THEM ALL INTO A BUNDLE...



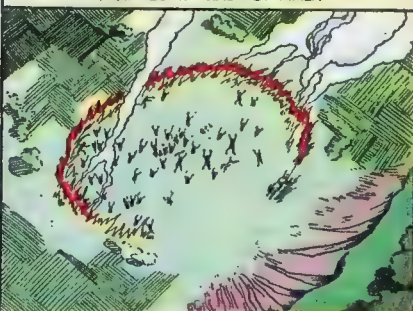
THE BUNDLE IS THEN TIED
ON A LONG ROPE AND
FASTENED TO SHIN-CHEE
...AND THEN IT IS SET ON
FIRE...



AFTER THE FARMER GIVES HER THE WORD,
SHIN-CHEE GALLOPS OFF IN A WIDE ARC...
TRAILING THE FLAMING BUNDLE BEHIND
AND SETTING FIRE TO THE RICE STALKS
IN THE FIELD...



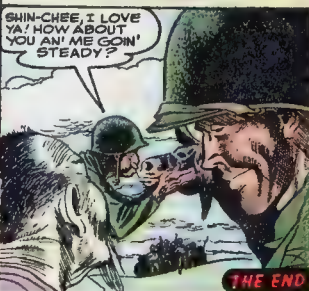
THE DONKEY MAKES A WIDE CIRCLE AROUND THE REDS
HIDING IN THE CENTER OF THE FIELD... AND SOON THEY
ARE TRAPPED IN A HALO OF FIRE!



THE REDS BURN, SQUIRM AND SCREAM AS THE FLAMES
ATTACK THEM FROM ALL SIDES! THOSE WHO AREN'T
BURNED ARE BLOWN APART BY THEIR OWN GRENADES
AND AMMUNITION BELTS!



AND WHEN IT'S ALL OVER, BATTLE BRADY,
SGT. SWENSKI, THE FARMER AND SHIN-
CHEE ALL WAIT TO GREET THE
ADVANCING G.I. COMPANY THEY SAVED
FROM AMBUSH...



THE END



FOR THE BEST IN WAR TALES LOOK FOR THE ATLAS SEAL ON THE COVER!



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AHEAD LAY MONTE CASSINO, STRONGHOLD OF THE RETREATING NAZIS WHO HAD HOLED UP IN ITS ANCIENT BUILDINGS, USING PRICELESS ART TREASURES AS FUEL, BOOKS AS TINDER, STATUARY AS BARRICADES!



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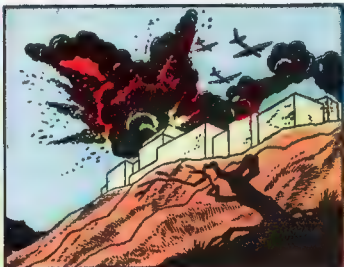
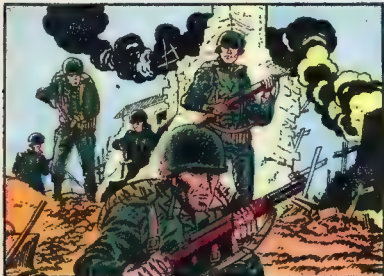


THIS, THEN, WAS THE ENEMY WHO WAS ATTACKED ON FEBRUARY 1ST, 1944, IN THE TOWN OF MONTE CASSINO...



BUT THE NAZIS HELD AGAINST ALL ATTACKS! TWELVE DAYS OF SAVAGE FIGHTING HAD WON ONLY A SMALL QUARTER OF THE TOWN...

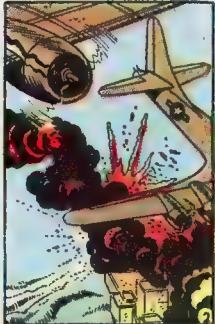
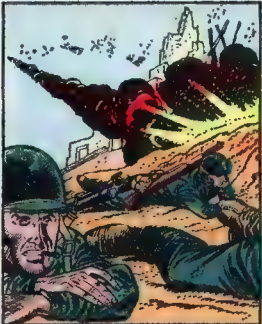
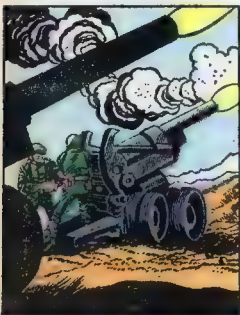
THE REASON FOR THE TORTUOUS ADVANCE LAY IN THE SQUAT, THICK-WALLED, WINDOWLESS GRANITE FORTRESS NESTLED IN THE RUBBLE OF HILL 519...



THE TANKMEN CURSED THAT BUILDING...THE INFANTRYMEN SWORE AT IT...ARTILLERY MERELY SCRATCHED ITS WALLS, AND PASSING AIRCRAFT STRAFED AND BOMBED IT...TO NO AVAIL!

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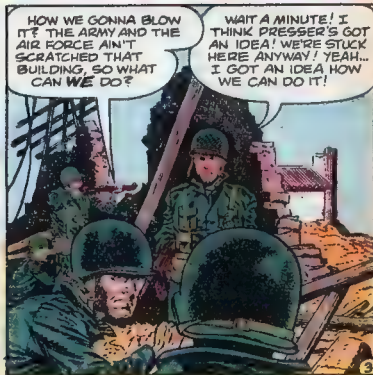
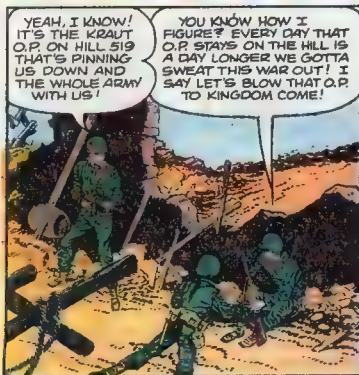
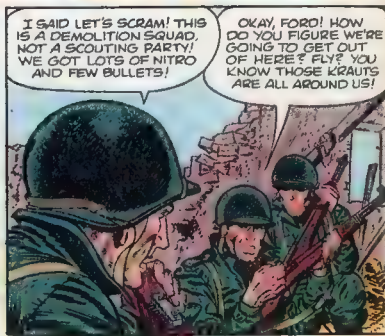
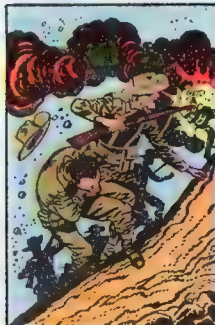
ON FEBRUARY 15TH, HEAVY BOMBERS SMOTHERED THE HILL IN DEVASTATING, EARTH-SHAKING RAIDS...BUT STILL THE STRUCTURE STOOD...



ON FEBRUARY 15TH, NEW ZEALAND'S CRACK COMBAT TROOPS HIT HILL 519... AND WERE THROWN BACK...

ON THE NIGHT OF THE 16TH, THE INDIAN 4TH DIVISION HIT HILL 519... AND WERE FORCED TO PULL BACK...

FIVE MEN ARE A FRAGMENTARY PORTION OF A VAST ARMY, BUT ON FEBRUARY 17TH, FIVE SUCH MEN FOUND THEMSELVES TRAPPED IN A DEVASTATED SECTOR OF MONTE CASSINO...



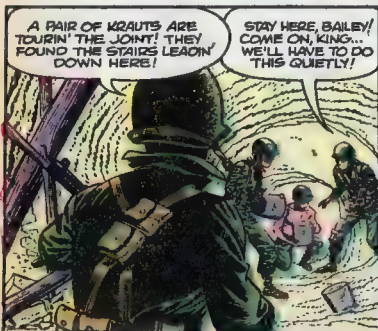
THE DEADLY FIRE FROM THE GUTTED BUILDING
SPUTTERED AND STOPPED! THE NAZI TROOPS
WAITED...AND WAITED...AND WAITED! AND THEN...



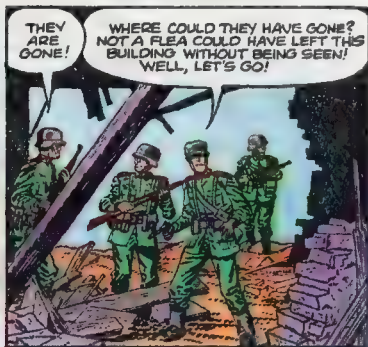
MONTE CASSINO WAS HONEYCOMBED WITH CATACOMBS,
AND IN ONE SUCH TUNNEL, FIVE STUBBORN MEN WERE
INITIATING A PRODIGIOUS PROJECT!



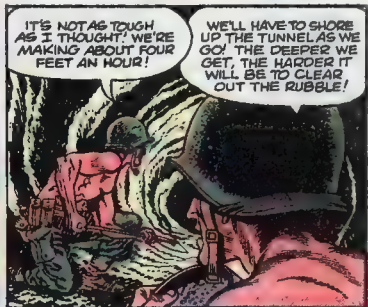
ONE SHIFT RELIEVED ANOTHER, AND THROUGH THE
NIGHT THEY KEPT BORING IN, BUT TOWARD MORNING
AN INTERRUPTION OCCURRED...



A CAREFUL SEARCH REVEALED THAT THE POSITION
HAD BEEN ABANDONED!



AT 9:00 P.M. THAT EVENING, THE DEMOLITION
SQUAD, WORKING IN GROUPS, BEGAN THE ARDUOUS
TASK OF HACKING AT STONE AND DIRT...



FORD AND KING STALKED THEIR PREY LIKE JUNGLE
CATS! ONE SOUND, ONE SHOT, ONE OUTCRY, AND
THE PROJECT WOULD END IN FAILURE AND DEATH!



THE SHADOWS MOVED! TWO FIGURES GROPED THROUGH THE DARKNESS AND TWO OTHERS LUNGED OUT WITH SAVAGE INTENSITY.



GNNH! TAKE THEIR GUNS, AMMO AND CHOW! WE'LL NEED EVERYTHING THEY GOT WHILE WE'RE DOWN HERE!

I'LL BURY THESE STIFFS SO THEY WON'T BE FOUND FOR A THOUSAND YEARS!

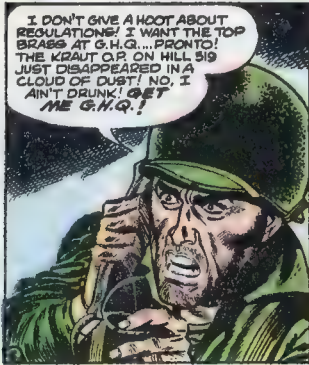
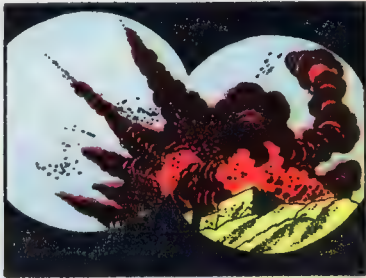


WHAT'S NEW?

NOTHIN! WE JUST BROKE UP A SIGHT-SEEING TOUR... AND KILLED THE TOURISTS! HOW'S THE TUNNEL GOIN'?

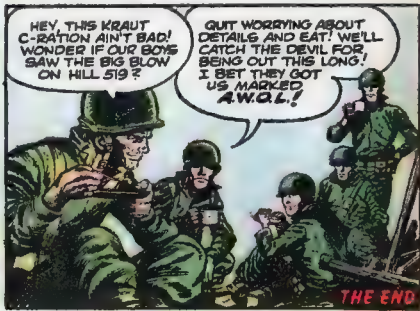
ON FEBRUARY 20TH, THE CLERK IN HEADQUARTERS COMPANY REMOVED FIVE SERVICE BOOKS FROM A FILE AND WROTE FINIS TO THE CAREERS OF THEIR OWNERS...

AT DAWN OF FEBRUARY 21ST, DURING A LULL IN THE BATTLE FOR HILL 519, A FORWARD ARTILLERY OBSERVER SAW A STRANGE SIGHT THROUGH HIS BINOCULARS...



I DON'T GIVE A HOOT ABOUT REGULATIONS! I WANT THE TOP BRASS AT G.H.Q. ... PRONTO! THE KRAUT C.O. ON HILL 519 JUST DISAPPEARED IN A CLOUD OF DUST! NO, I AIN'T DRUNK! GET ME G.H.Q.!

THE NAZI DEFENSES WERE BREACHED AND THE ALLIES POURED THROUGH! BUT WITHIN THE BOWELS OF THE EARTH BENEATH HILL 519, FIVE WEARY G.I.'S CELEBRATED THE OCCASION WITH GERMAN RATIONS...



HEY THIS KRAUT C-RATION AIN'T BAD! WONDER IF OUR BOYS SAW THE BIG BLOW ON HILL 519?

QUIT WORRYING ABOUT DETAILS AND EAT! WE'LL CATCH THE DEVI FOR BEING OUT THIS LONG! I BET THEY GOT US MARKED A.W.O.L.!

THE END



FOR THE BEST IN WAR TALES LOOK FOR THE ATLAS SEAL ON THE COVER!



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Van Wert, Ohio

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—RICHARD E. MEADE, Ohio

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\$3⁹⁸



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